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Red Cross Will Call To Receive Your Gift

The American Red Cross War Fund campaign is on and from March 1 the committee members will make their usual canvass for contributions and gifts. The quota for Northfield amounts to \$2,500 and Chairman George W. Carr states that this amount is the same as for the previous appeal. The county goal is \$85,000 and County Chairman Fred B. Dole is very optimistic.

The solicitation in this town will begin on Monday, March 5, and continue until every individual has been checked. The Red Cross has been doing a fine work for the men and women in service in this war and has brought comfort and cheer to them as well as contentment to their families at home. The Red Cross has a complete program and carries on with faithfulness. Let's all resolve to give as much as we can to the American Red Cross in this war fund effort.

The following are the members of the soliciting committee and the districts which they will cover: Winchester Road, Mrs. Hubert Eastman; Barber District, Mrs. Phillip MacNeil; East Side Main Street, East Northfield, Miss Helen Handy; West Side Main Street, East Northfield, A. P. Fitt; Highland Avenue, Mrs. David B. Hammond; Side Streets off Highland Avenue, W. E. Waite; Birnam Road and North Lane, Roy Hatch; Hotel and Cottages, Mrs. Moody and Mrs. Lawrence; Main Street from Bridge to Fountain, Mrs. William Shattuck; East Side Main Street below Fountain, Mrs. W. B. Wells; West Side Main Street below Fountain, Mrs. J. Morgan; Warwick Avenue, East Street, Parker Avenue, Mrs. Louis Shine; Maple and Plains, Mrs. Robert McCastline; Northfield Mountain, J. E. Dresser; West Northfield North, Mrs. Earl Lilly; West Northfield South, Mrs. Fred Bolton; Lower Farms, Mrs. Malcolm Billings; Upper Farms, Mrs. Carroll Miller; Seminary Office Staff, Miss Gladys Elithorpe;

Symphony On Sunday Zazofsky Violinist

The second concert in the series of the Pioneer Valley Symphony will be given Sunday afternoon, March 4, in the Greenfield High School auditorium at 3.30 o'clock and will be conducted by H. Alexander Leslie, its director since the symphony was organized in 1939. A most alluring program will be offered of much interest to all music lovers and quite a number of people from this town are expected to attend.

The guest artist will be George Zazofsky, concert violinist with the Boston symphony. Zazofsky plays a rare and valuable Italian violin, "Gennaro Gagliani," made at Naples in 1752.

Zazofsky studied at the Curtis Institute of Music and became concertmaster of the Curtis Symphony orchestra and also concertmaster of the Philadelphia Opera Company. He was a member of the all-American youth orchestra to tour South America in 1939 and in 1940 he was chosen to tour Mexico, Canada and the United States by Leopold Stokowski. Since that time upon invitation of Serge Koussevitsky he has been a member of the first violin section of the Boston Symphony orchestra.

Dr. William E. Park was the guest speaker at the evening service at Miss Porter's school in Farmington, Conn., Sunday, Feb. 25.

A financial report of the business of conducting the noon lunch at Center School by the treasurer, Miss Dorothy Totman, shows that it reaches the proportion of over \$2,500 for the school year.

Seminary Students and Faculty, Mrs. H. Kendall, and Mrs. George W. Carr, secretary.

Contributions from our citizens who are out of town during the canvass, or away for the winter months, may send them direct to George W. Carr, Chairman, Northfield, Mass.

Albert Cembalistry Is Killed in Action

Sgt. Albert Leon Cembalistry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cembalistry of this town, has been reported as "killed in action" over Germany on February 5. He was serving as a tail turret gunner on an Italian-based bomber of the 15th Air Force. His wife, the former Ruth Phelps, and ten-month-old son are at the home of her mother, Mrs. Florence Phelps of Main Street. Mr. Cembalistry was born May 15, 1918, and was a graduate of the local high school and of Mount Hermon School. For two years he attended at State College and then was employed by the Millers Falls Company. He enlisted in the Air Force in February, 1944, and after training was sent overseas last November. He was a member of the local Congregational Church. Surviving, besides his parents, his wife and child, are two brothers, Joseph of Orange and Edward of Millers Falls; five sisters, Mrs. Jean Wilkes and Mrs. Betty Stewart of Hatfield, Mrs. Beatrice Sak of Vernon, Miss Adelia Cembalistry at home and Miss Helen Cembalistry in Bermuda. Members of the family are awaiting some further information of his tragic fate.

The serious illness of Pvt. Frank V. Tie at Fort Riley in Kansas has called his mother, Mrs. Webster of the Northfield Hotel to his bedside. She was accompanied on the journey by another son, Casimiro Tie of the Navy who is on furlough.

Also Reported Missing

A year ago last summer, Mrs. Frank Schroeter of Westfield, N. J., and Mrs. Bruce Biddle of Siloam Springs, Ark., visited their cousins here, Mrs. William F. Hoehn and Miss Lawrence at their homes in Mountain Park. Both had visited frequently in previous years. Mrs. Biddle had lost her husband in sudden death and their only son, Bruce, Jr., graduated from John Brown University, was studying "radar" after his induction in the service. Upon conclusion of his training he became a radio operator and was assigned to duty on a ship at sea. Now comes the usual form of information, "missing in action" and it is presumed he went down at his post when his vessel was torpedoed in the South Pacific. An exemplary Christian young man passes and leaves his home in quiet and solitude. Within two years both father and son have "gone on."

Card of Thanks

To Our Friends:

Words simply fail us in giving adequate expression in appreciation for the lovely flowers, letters and cards of sympathy sent us in our recent sorrow. We wish we could answer each one individually, but that would be impossible. Your kind thoughts and sympathy will long be remembered and we want you to know that we are grateful indeed for having so many lovely friends who share our grief.

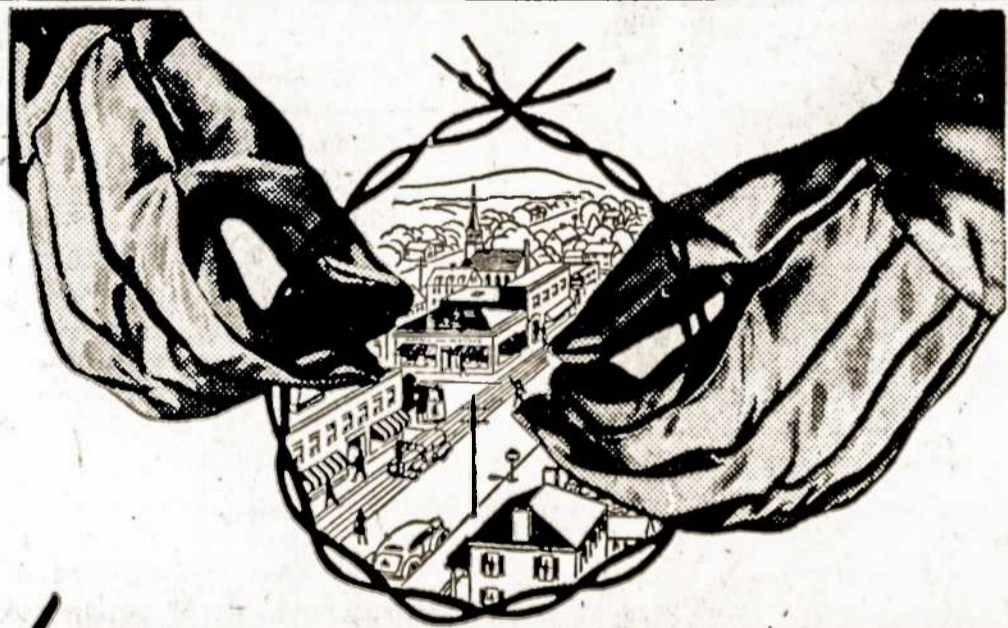
Mr. and Mrs. Louis M. Potts.

A Chapel Wedding

On Monday afternoon, February 25, in Sage Chapel took place the wedding of Miss Florence Lyon, who recently resigned as an assistant principal of the Northfield School for Girls and Rev. Carl M. Sangree, pastor of the "Village Church" at Cummings. Rev. Benjamin R. Andrews officiated in the presence of a large number of friends. Following the ceremony, the bride's mother, Mrs. Charles Gilbert Lyon of Great Neck, Long Island, tendered a dinner to the wedding party at the Northfield Hotel and the reception was at the home of Dr. Mira B. Wilson on the campus.

South Vernon Church

At the Advent Christian Church in South Vernon there has just been completed extensive improvements and decorations to the interior which provides more comfort and pleasing effects. Worshippers are much pleased with the same. The Sunday evening services have proved very interesting and recently they have been held in honor of D. L. Moody, Abraham Lincoln, George C. Stebbins, and others with additional special music programs. Members of the Men's Fellowship have arranged these meetings. During March the Missionary Society will assist the pastor in the services. Sunday evening, March 4, Mrs. Lockwood of Mount Hermon, a missionary in India, now on furlough will speak.



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TOWN HALL MOVIES

March 2—I LOVE A SOLDIER

Paulette Goddard, Sonny Tufts

March 9—POT OF GOLD

Horace Heidt, James Stewart

March 16—DOUBLE INDEMNITY

Barbara Stanwyck, Fred MacMurray

March 23—GOING MY WAY

Bing Crosby, Rise Stevens

GOOD ENTERTAINMENT — REASONABLE PRICE

Town Topics

Lt. (jg) Laurie L. Harris, Jr., of the Navy is on a furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Harris of South Vernon. He participated in the Normandy invasion and is now on a mine-sweeper in port at Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. William Derrig of South Vernon observed their 50th wedding anniversary at their home on Saturday, February 24. They received many callers, cards and greetings.

Sgt. George A. Olds of Newton Center has been reported as killed in action in Belgium on December 22. He had attended Mount Hermon School and was a brother of Charles Olds of Winchester Road.

South Vernon residents have received word of the death of Mrs. Winona Spiller, 80, at Worcester on February 9. She was the widow of the late B. F. Spiller, who at one time operated a restaurant and store here and carried the mail. They were active in the affairs of the South Vernon Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Randall of West Northfield are now credited with six sons in the service. Their son, Harlan, has reported to Fort Devens for army duty. He has four brothers in the Navy and one in the Army.

Flight Officer Milton A. Wilde, son of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Wilde of Mount Hermon, is now at an air force station in England receiving final instruction before being transferred to a permanent station where planes advance on missions into Germany. Before entering the service Mr. Wilde was a student at Albion College.

Nearly a hundred new members have been added to the rolls of the County Farm Bureau which includes several from this vicinity. George W. Carr of the special membership committee was the canvasser here.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Donahue of the Farms entertained at a dinner Sunday, the 18th, several friends in honor of the 90th birthday of her father, Simon Gage. He received many greetings and felicitations, and a large birthday cake.

Nominations made for the Gill town meeting include Carroll Rikert for moderator; Gordon F. Pyper for selectman; Harry A. Erickson for school committee; Charles R. Mayberry for tax collector and Howard W. Niblock for auditor, all of Mount Hermon.

PARAMOUNT

BRATTLEBORO

Sun.-Tues., March 4-6

BELLE OF YUKON

Randolph Scott, Gypsy Rose Lee

Wed.-Thurs., March 7-8

I ACCUSE MY PARENTS

with Mary Beth Hughes
also LET'S GO STEADY

Fri.-Sat., March 9-10

SING ME A SONG OF TEXAS

also I LOVE A MYSTERY

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Miss Helen Durgin, who is a student at Mount Holyoke College, and chairman of its education committee, is arranging for the fourth annual religious forum to be held there in March.

Norman Bolton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bolton who graduated from high school last June, has enlisted for service with the Navy and expects to be called soon. He has a brother, Kenneth, who has served in the Navy for the past 2½ years.

Charles F. Packard of the Packard Insurance Agency in Greenfield has been given public recognition as a 50-year man in the insurance business in the county. He was recently tendered a testimonial dinner by the County Insurance Underwriters and by representatives of several insurance companies. Mr. Packard is still the insurance underwriter for many policyholders in Northfield.

Rev. Edward Fairbank was the preacher at the Unitarian Church on Sunday, February 25. The church is still without a permanent minister.

Lt. Thomas Parker, with the Army Air Force at Monroe, La., is enjoying a leave at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Parker on Main Street.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Buffum at the Franklin County Hospital on Friday, February 23; grandson of Mrs. C. P. Buffum of this town and Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Jenks of Amherst. Mr. and Mrs. Buffum, formerly of Northfield, now reside in Greenfield.

George Marshall, USNR, who is with an airplane carrier in the Pacific, is enjoying a furlough while the ship is in for repairs at Seattle. While en route to visit his mother at Brookline, he was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ross L. Spence at their home here for a few days.

LATCHIS MEMORIAL BRATTLEBORO AUDITORIUM

2:15

6:30

8:30

Fri.-Sat.

March 2-3

BLONDE FEVER

Sun.-Wed.

March 4-7

BOWERY

TO BROADWAY

Maria Montez Susanna Foster
Turhan Bey

Thurs.-Fri.

March 8-9

GYPSY WILDCAT

Maria Montez Jon Hall
Peter Coe

Fri.-Sat.

March 2-3

UNDER WESTERN SKIES

Sun.-Mon.

March 4-5

TWO GIRLS AND SAILOR

Tues.

March 6

SWAMP WATER

Walter Brennan Anne Baxter

Wed.-Thurs.

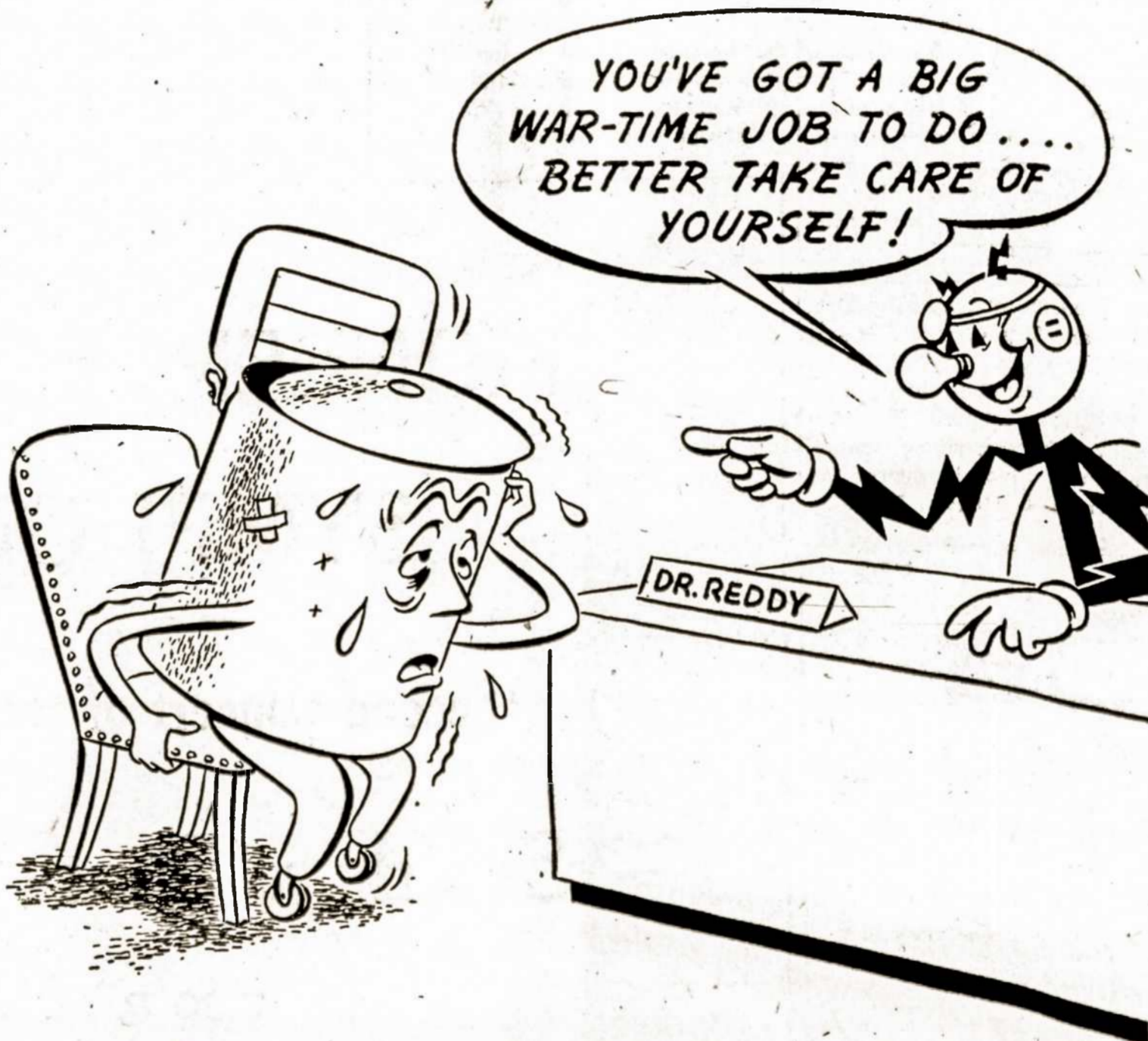
March 7-8

L A U R A

Fri.-Sat.

March 9-10

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